TCC Students - We Are So Glad To See You!

As stakeholders around the country are considering what education might look like during the 2020-21 academic year, TSD students are successfully engaging in a safe hybrid learning environment. Small cohorts of students have been participating both virtually and in-person this week as part of our Health Science pathway and it has been incredibly satisfying to see students enter through our doors once more.

We look forward to the week ahead as we safely accept students who will begin the same hybrid learning model in the Construction Skilled Trades pathway beginning on Thursday, September 17, 2020. Students learning in the IT pathway will remain online until October 16th.

First Day @ TCC  The Health Science Learning Lab  Excited to be at TCC

New Business

In-person learning has been a success for our Health Science students this week. They have enjoyed every minute of being in the building while actively participating in the introdutory CNA curriculum
being taught by FRCC instructors Lori Stevens and Mindy Kimmel. Students are safety seriously and we couldn't be more proud of our students!

**Share the Love!**

It's NEVER too early to plan for your future at TCC!

If you know a student who would be interested in attending Thompson Career Campus, applications for Spring 2021 semester are still being accepted until **December 10, 2020**. Our new 20-21 application will be available on the TCC website by October 1, 2020.

If you should have any questions, please see your school counselor and apply today!

**Reminders**

Permission Slips- Please complete/submit the forms if you have not already done so.

- **Thompson Career Campus Aknowledgment of Risk and Hold Harmless Agreement**: This form must be returned in order for your student to participate in any activity at Thompson Career Campus
- **One on One Meeting Consent**(online)- Submit this form indicating your child has the permission to meet in a one to one virtual setting with TSD Educators (to facilitate individual support for your child).

**Virtual College Fair and SO MUCH More**

**Hosted by CollegeFairsDenver.org**

**When**

*Monday, Sep. 28th, 5pm to Wednesday, Sep. 30th, 8pm*

**Where**

*This is an online event.*

**More information**

Plan to attend virtually 9/28-9/30, each day from 5pm - 8pm. Over 350 colleges have partnered together to bring students and families informational sessions and a virtual college fair. Informational sessions will cover planning and attending college, military options, gap year, how to write a college essay and a virtual college fair. Register for sessions and the college fair. Registration is free and is required! Check out the [flyer](#) and visit [College Fairs of Greater Denver Inc](#) for more information and to register.

**You Cant Miss This INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY!**
Are you interested in applying for an internship with UCHealth's Radiology and Imaging Department at the Medical Center of the Rockies in Loveland? Find out more information about this opportunity here! The deadline is September 20, 2020. Spots are limited.

**TCC Counseling Corner**

Concurrent Enrollment- Great news! All TCC pathways offer concurrent enrollment to students.

**What is Concurrent Enrollment?**
Students can earn both high school and college credit at the same time. All college courses are taught in the TCC pathway and are tuition free! Students must complete the registration process and meet all deadlines to be enrolled.

**Why should students register for concurrent enrollment at TCC?**
Students will be able to:
- Get a head start towards completing a 2-year or a 4-year college degree, saving yourself money and time
- Gain the training and/or industry certificate you need for your future career
- Build confidence and develop essential academic and career skills

**What concurrent enrollment are the pathways offering?**
- AIMS Community College is partnering with TCC's Construction Skilled Trades, Manufacturing & Design, and Information Technology pathways. The deadline for students to register is September 17, 2020. *Please remember there is a $25.00 registration fee.
- Front Range Community College is partnering with TCC's Health Sciences pathway. The registration deadline has passed. All students are presently registered for their college courses.

**Celebrations**

Lori, one of our FRCC Health Science instructors, shared this about her first week in-person with students

"Students were excited to be out of the house and learning the CNA skills on the first day. We learned 3 skills (my class) and 4 ½ skills in Mindy's! They did fabulous and as we were finishing up the class in the afternoon, I overheard a student say that they were "going to love this." That was awesome to hear!

Great News! Based on student interest, our IT pathway instructor, Kristina Brown, will be starting a Cyber/Coding/IT Club that will meet on Wednesdays at 4pm! Here her announcement about the new club:

If you or your student are interested in coding, cyber security, or technology at all, this is a great club to be a part of. We would love to have you join us! The club will be doing a number of coding and cyber competitions including Capture the Flag, CyberPatriots, and local coding competitions at companies like HP, Lockheed Martin, and Colorado School of Mines as well as attending local technology conferences as they become available. We will be practicing once a week to learn more about cyber vulnerabilities, coding fundamentals, and how to compete. We welcome all skill levels! We will meet on
Wednesdays at 4pm virtually. Contact Kristina Brown for more information: kristina.brown@thompsonschools.org

Construction Skilled Trades

John, our Construction Skilled Trades teacher, shared that he really enjoyed his classroom discussions on social contact which he said was AWESOME. "There was some real progress to keep our school a positive and supportive place/ environment for everyone."

Helpful Links

Technology Help Information
Google Tips (Thank you LHS)
COVID Preparedness and Response Plan
20-21 Thompson Career Campus Bell Schedule
Revised TSD RETURN TO LEARN